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Notice of public hearing/comment concerning the following proposed actions: (1) amend Regulation .01 under COMAR 26.11.01 - General Administrative Provisions, (2) amend Regulations .01, .02, .04, .05, .07, and .08-2, repeal Regulation .08-1, and adopt new Regulation .10 under COMAR 26.11.08 Control of Incinerators; and (3) Amend Regulation .08 under COMAR 26.11.09 Control of Fuel-Burning Equipment, Stationary Internal Combustion Engines, and Certain Fuel-Burning Installations.

The Maryland Department of the Environment gives notice of the following public hearing/comment period: The purpose of this action is to repeal nitrogen oxide (NOx) reasonable available control technology (RACT) requirements under COMAR 26.11.09.08H and establish new NOx RACT and analysis of possible additional NOx emission control requirements under COMAR 26.11.08.10 for large municipal waste combustors (MWCs). Additionally, this action amends opacity requirements under 26.11.01, adds definitions, repeals 26.11.08.08-1 and updates references to 26.11.08.08-2, which is the current emission standards and requirements for hospital, medical and infectious waste incinerators (HMIWIs).

The amendments pertaining to large MWCs will be submitted to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) for approval as part of Maryland's State Implementation Plan (SIP). The amendments pertaining to small MWCs and HMIWIs will be submitted to the EAP for approval as part of Maryland's 111(d) and 129 plans.

The full text of the proposed new regulation appear ed in the Maryland Register on August 17, 2018 (see attached)

For additional information and

the Technical Support Document (TSD)

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A public hearing on this action will be held on **September 21, 2018**, at 10:00 a.m. at the Department of the Environment, 1800 Washington Boulevard, 7th Floor Conference Rooms, Baltimore, Maryland 21230-1720.

Comments must be received by 5:00 p.m. on September 21, 2018.

For more information or to submit comments, call or email:

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